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Officers' Revolver
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ASSOCIATION RULES

1. The Association shall be known as The Winnipeg Garrison Officers' Revolver Association.

2. The object of this Association shall be to promote an interest in revolver shooting among militia officers.

3. The membership of the Association to be open to all active officers of the Winnipeg garrison.

4. Membership privileges may be extended to retired officers and officers of the reserve of the Canadian Militia under the following conditions:

(a) All names must be proposed and seconded by two active officers who are bona fide members of the Association;

(b) Names thus proposed must be handed to the secretary, who will place same before the General Committee for approval before being balloted on by members of the Association;

(c) Members thus accepted must prescribe to all rules of the Association.

5. Officers on the active list and members of the Association may introduce to a member of the General Committee, at any practice shoot of the Association, a guest not residing within a radius of 20 miles from the City of Winnipeg, to whom shall be accorded the privileges of the Association for that night only.

6. An annual fee of \$1 (one dollar) shall be subscribed by all members, in advance.

7. The revolver ranges will be open weekly from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. on such evenings as the General Committee may find best suited.

8. Range officers shall be appointed weekly, by the General Committee.

9. Range officers must be thoroughly conversant with rules governing firing at the butts.

10. At least one service revolver, which will be available for members not possessing revolvers of their own, will be in charge of the range officer on duty.

11. Members will, as far as possible, be expected to provide themselves with such revolvers as are authorized for their military equipment.

12. Unless otherwise specified all competitive matches will be fired with revolvers using service ammunition.

13. The General Committee shall at all times have it in their power to add to or strike out any of the Association rules now laid down.

RULES GOVERNING FIRING AT THE BUTTS

1. Each member must supply himself with sufficient ammunition for practice and competitive shooting.

2. The committee will arrange to supply regulation ammunition at government prices to those who have exhausted their annual government allowance.

3. No revolver shall be loaded until the targets are clear and the competitor has taken his place at the firing point.

4. The competitor may load his own revolver, keeping the muzzle towards the ground or targets, unless the range officer, his deputy, or member of the committee in charge, shall give orders to the contrary; in which case it shall be loaded by some competent person at the firing point.

5. Whenever a competition or practice shoot shall be suspended for the examination of targets or any other cause, the range officer shall give the order "Cease Fire"; the competitors shall at once place their revolvers on the table, and shall not allow same to be touched by any person until the word "All Clear" is given by the executive Officer in charge.

6. All questions shall be settled by the executive officer in charge, subject to reference to the General Committee if demanded by the competitor.

7. All doubtful shots shall be decided by butting a bullet, which has passed through the barrel of a revolver of the same calibre, into the bullet hole and, if on examination with a magnifying glass the edge of the bullet is found to cut the line, the higher value shall be attributed to the shot.

8. No member shall compete or practice twice in succession, other than the number of rounds in his revolver, while a member shooting in practice or competition is waiting to fire.

9. Upon their arrival at the range, all members will hand in their names to the officer in charge, who will see that they take their place at the firing point in proper order.

10. Any member may enter into the practice competition as often as he pleases, subject to the conditions thereof and to the regulations.

11. Practice on the revolver range is allowed under the prescribed conditions only.

12. Any member infringing on any of the above rules, or in any way disregarding the instructions of the range officer or indulging in any dangerous practice, shall be at once suspended from any further privileges of the Association by the range officer, his deputy, or member of the committee in charge, and shall not be again granted said privileges until the sanction of the committee shall be obtained.

13. Rules governing match competitions shall be laid down from time to time by the General Committee.

14. The General Committee shall at all times have it in their power to alter in any way the foregoing rules governing firing at the butts.







